



# SEPTEMBER 2023 PROGRAMS

All programs are free and open to the public. The Visitor Center is located at 100 Davol Street in the Captain Thomas J. Hudner, Jr. Memorial Building. Free parking is available in the DCR parking lot at 5 Water Street in Fall River. An adult must accompany children. Reasonable accommodations are available upon request. Wheelchair accessible. For more information call (508) 675-5759 ext 0

coming events

OPEN  
DAILY

**VISITOR CENTER  
Exhibit, Films, and Community Gallery**

Explore our permanent exhibit celebrating the cultural, ethnic, and industrial history of Fall River. Learn about the waterfalls that shaped the city, enabled its industries, and even gave it its name. Films and temporary exhibitions highlight stories of the city and community.

DAILY

**MEMORIES OF LINCOLN PARK AND THE CAROUSEL,  
Original Paintings by Artist Sheila Oliveira with  
Vintage Photography, Visitor Center Community  
Gallery**

Relive the summer joy of a visit to the region’s favorite amusement park. Bring back fun memories for the whole family. This exhibit is for all ages and closes September 30th.

DAILY

**FILM: LINCOLN PARK REMEMBERED,  
10:00 am, Visitor Center Theater**

Enjoy this fun-filled ride into the past with vintage clips and footage from as early as 1920. Run-time 45 minutes.

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**FILM: THE FABRIC OF FALL RIVER  
11:45 am & 1:45 pm, Visitor Center Theater**

Explore Fall River’s rich past, from the First People through the cotton mill era, to the needle trades of the 1980s. For ages 8+ years. Film 34 minutes.

DAILY

**ORANGE BILLOWS, an Original Sculpture Celebrating  
the Textile Traditions of Fall River. Visitor Center**

“Orange Billows” connects the rich history of the textile industry of Fall River with the natural setting of the harbor.

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**CREATION STATION ACTIVITIES  
9:00 am– 3:00 pm**

Get creative! Stop by the Visitor Center, grab one of our unique coloring sheets of moments in Fall River History. Learn about textiles and calico and help us complete our calico stamp wall or even weave a row on our community loom. If you complete an entire row, you too can add your name tag!

This is a drop-in program. Stay for the duration or drop in for a few moments. For all ages.



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## PROGRAMS CONTINUED

### SPECIAL PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

SEPTEMBER  
16TH

**The FALL RIVER MASS MEMORIES ROAD SHOW**  
**presented by the Fall River Waterfront Cultural District**  
**and its community partners.**  
**10:00 am– 3:00 pm, Visitor Center**

The Mass Memories Road Show is a free statewide, event-based participatory archiving program that documents people, places, and events in Massachusetts history through family photographs and stories. This time the focus is on Fall River and Fall River people! Be involved! Become a part of Massachusetts history.

Join us as we present our very own Mass Memories Road Show . We invite you to share your photos and the family memories that tell the stories behind them. This is your chance to claim a stake in Massachusetts history! Everyone is invited to get involved.

Bring up to three unframed photos or hard copy prints . Digital images on CD, flash drives or cell phone are also acceptable. Volunteers and staff will scan or download your photos and help you record your memories. You keep your originals. For further information contact [dendenll@outlook.com](mailto:dendenll@outlook.com)

DAILY

**STORYWALK® SERIES**  
**Dawn to Dusk In the Visitor Center Lobby**

Learn the story of the Quequechan River, the river that gave Fall River its name. Quequechan means “falling water” in the language of the Pocasset Wampanoag. The river’s waterfalls drove the textile industry. Learn the tragedy of the Quequechan, a story of nature, industry, neglect and rebirth..

‘Quequechan: Forgotten River’, is a delightful inspirational book by Fall River native Jeanne L. Prevost, illustrated by Linda Crockett. Read along and learn as you look out our windows at the mouth of the Quequechan.

The StoryWalk® Project was created by Anne Ferguson of Montpelier, VT and developed in collaboration with the Kellogg-Hubbard Library. Story Walk® is a registered service mark owned by Ms. Ferguson.

SATURDAYS  
AND  
SUNDAYS

**WALKING TOUR: WATER + GRANITE + GRAVITY= FALL RIVER**  
**11:00 am., Meet at the Front Desk in the Visitor Center**

Without the water of the Taunton and Quequechan Rivers, the granite cliffs, the power of gravity, and the waterfalls that they produced, there would be no Fall River. Discover more about these important factors on a guided tour on the park grounds.

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